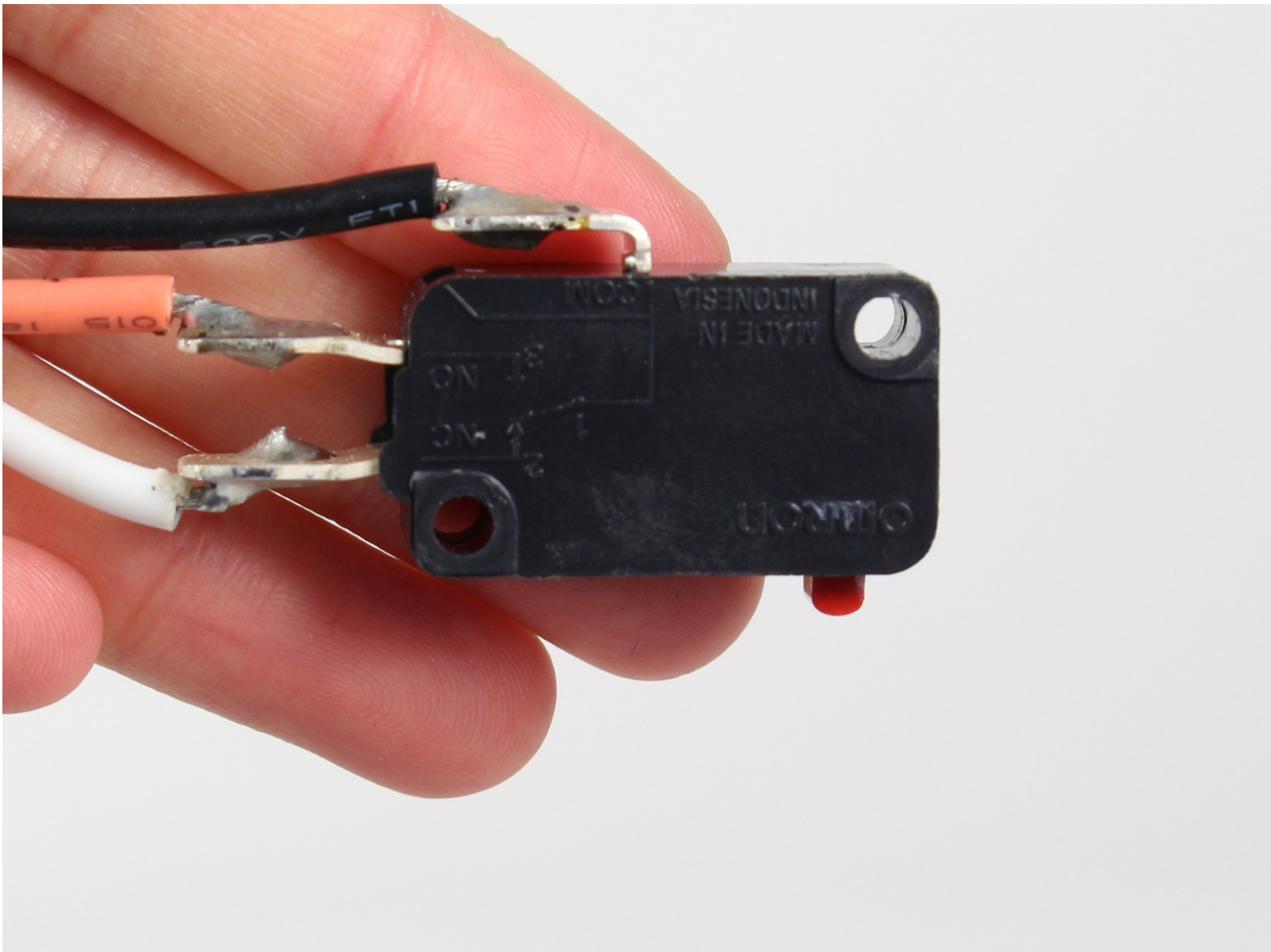




Cuisinart DFP-14BCN Switch Replacement

Replace your faulty switch so your device can turn on.

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INTRODUCTION

A broken switch means electricity is not flowing through your device. Removing and replacing this component requires soldering. Check out this [soldering guide](#) for instructions.



TOOLS:

- [64 Bit Driver Kit](#) (1)
 - [Phillips #2 Screwdriver](#) (1)
 - [Portable Soldering Iron](#) (1)
 - [5mm Nut Driver](#) (1)
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Step 1 — Bowl



i Unplug your food processor before starting any disassembly.

- Remove the small pusher by rotating it clockwise and lifting up.

Step 2



- Remove the large pusher by grabbing its sides and pulling up.

i There may be a clicking sound from the safety feature being disengaged in this step.

Step 3




- Remove the lid from the bowl by turning it clockwise and lifting.

Step 4



- Take out the blades by grabbing the plastic center piece and lifting up.

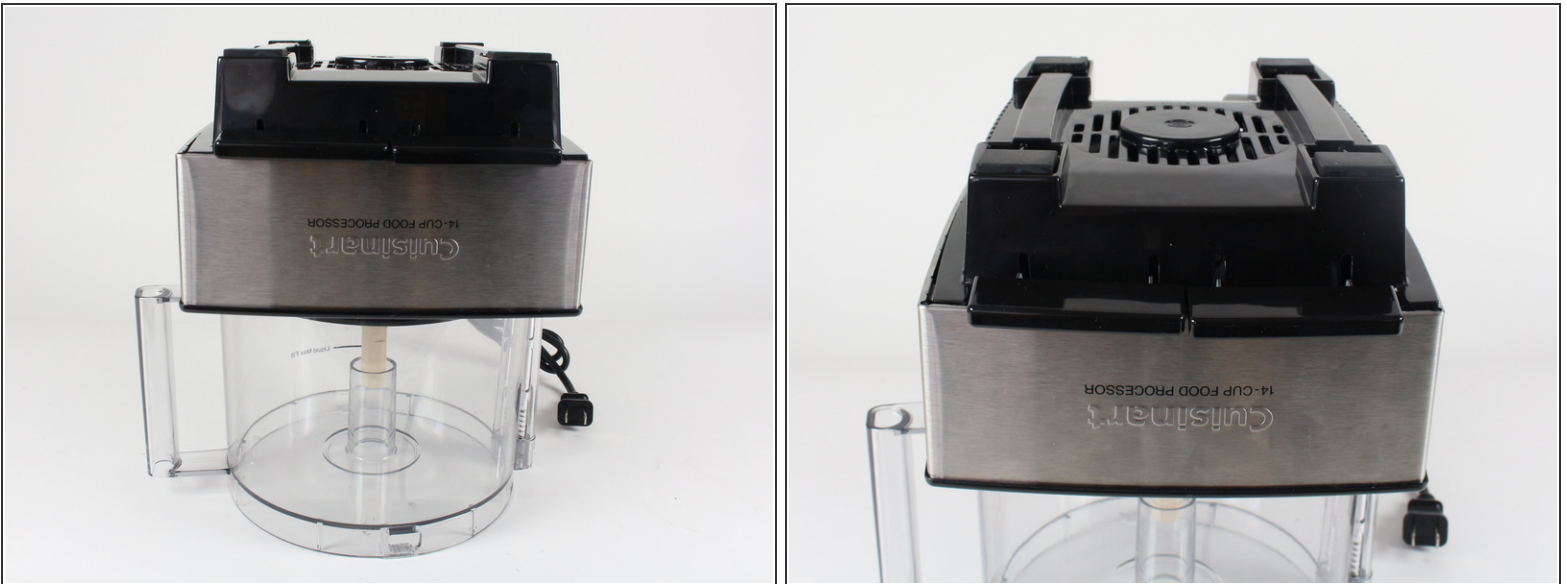
 Avoid contact with blades as they are extremely sharp.

Step 5



- Position the handle of the bowl so that it is on your left.
- Grab the handle and push clockwise. Lift up the bowl to remove it.

Step 6 — Back Casing



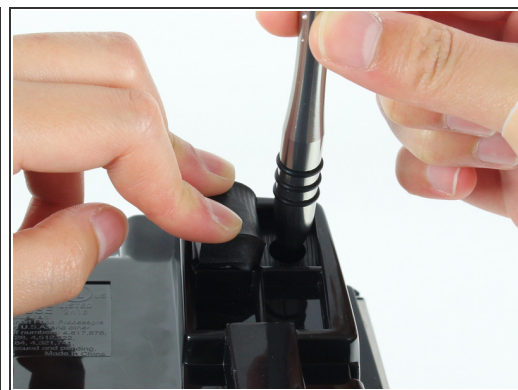
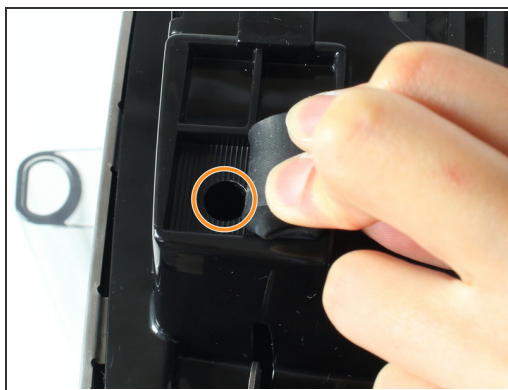
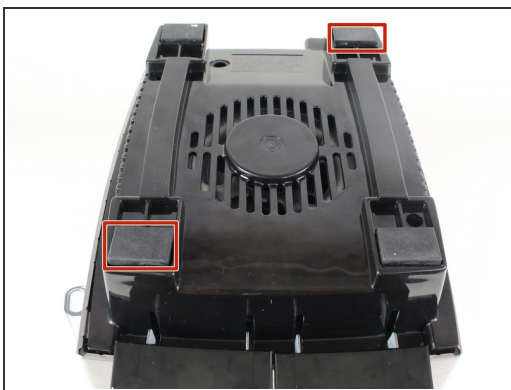
- Turn the food processor's base upside down by lifting it up and turning it over.
- Position the base so that the on and pulse buttons are facing you.
- Place the base on top of the food processor's bowl to keep the base from wobbling while you work on it.

Step 7



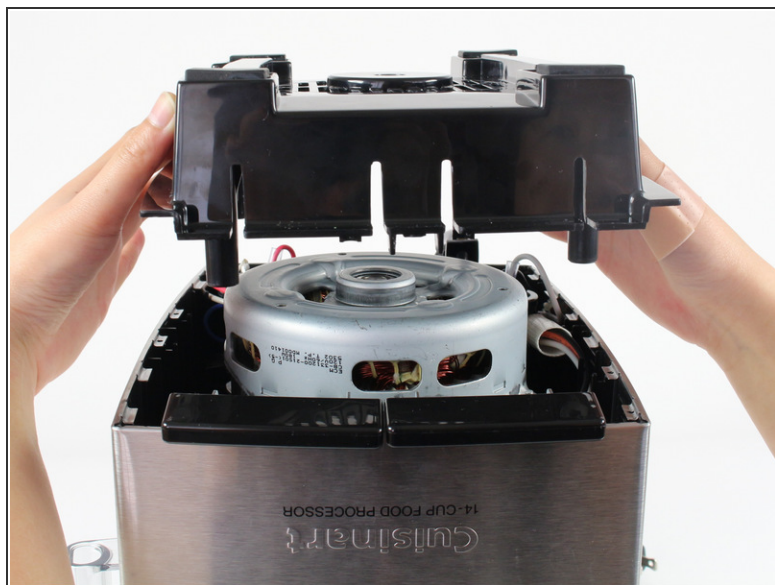
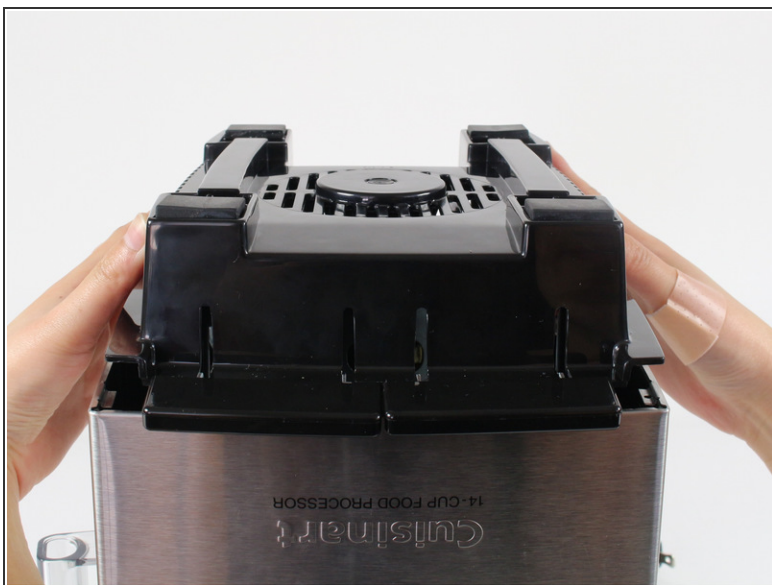
- Remove the two 13.0mm screws that hold down the casing with a Phillips #2 screwdriver.

Step 8



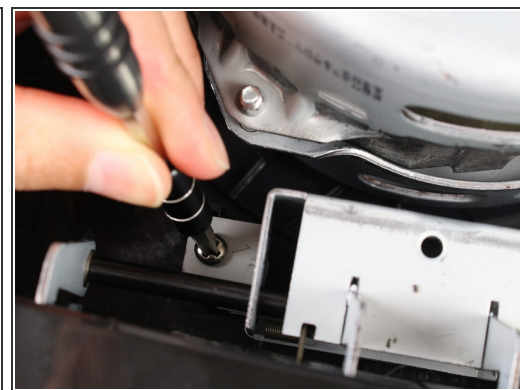
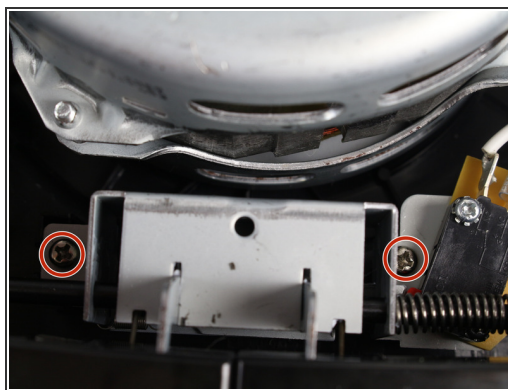
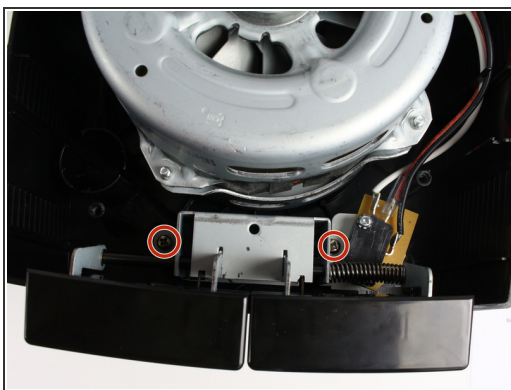
- Lift up the front left and the back right rubber feet by pulling back the rubber with your fingers.
- Remove the 13.0mm screw under each rubber foot with a Phillips #2 screwdriver.

Step 9



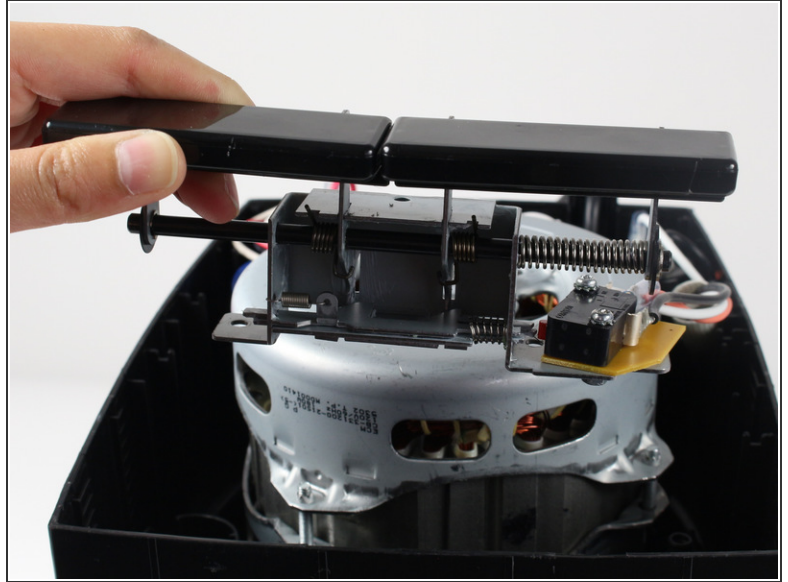
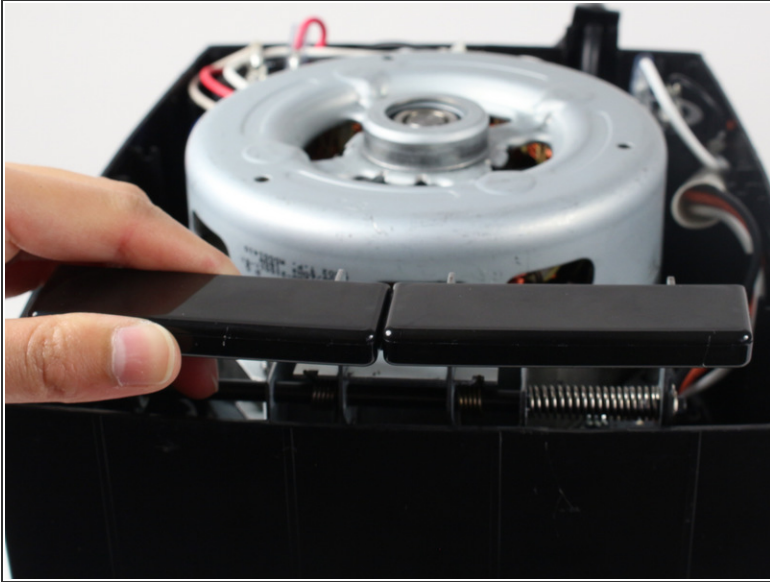
- Lift off the back casing by raising it upward.

Step 10 — Buttons



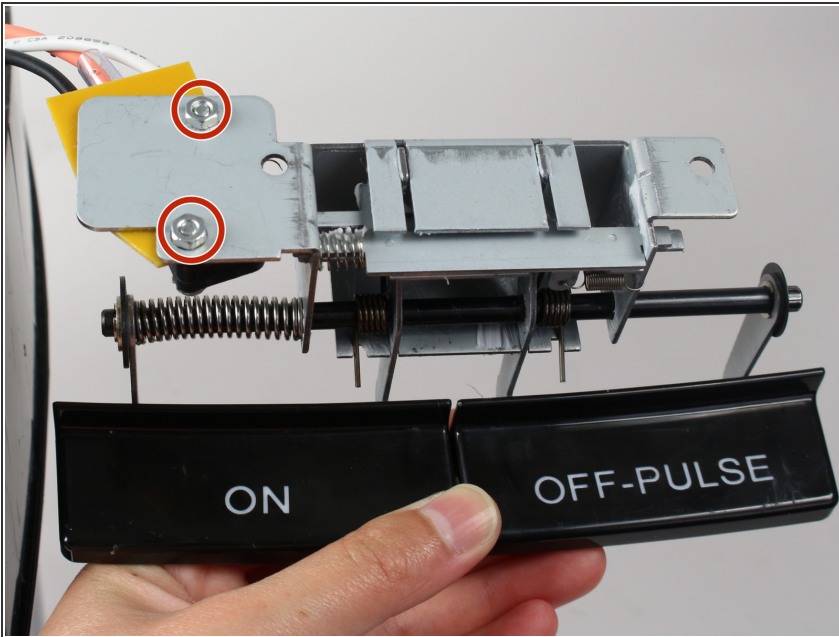
- Remove the two 13.0mm screws that are holding down the button assembly using the Phillips #2 screwdriver.

Step 11



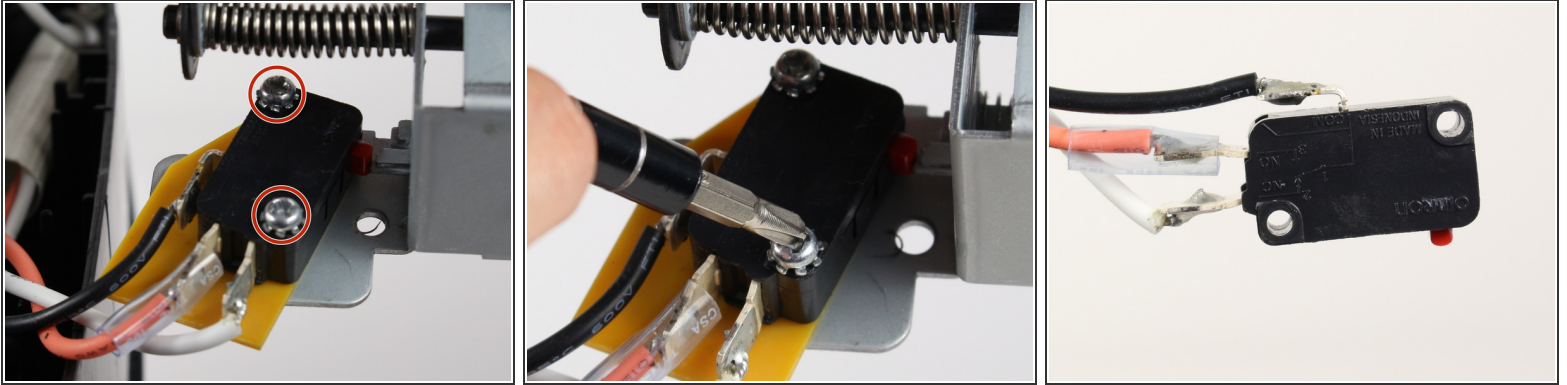
- Lift out the button assembly by pulling up.

Step 12



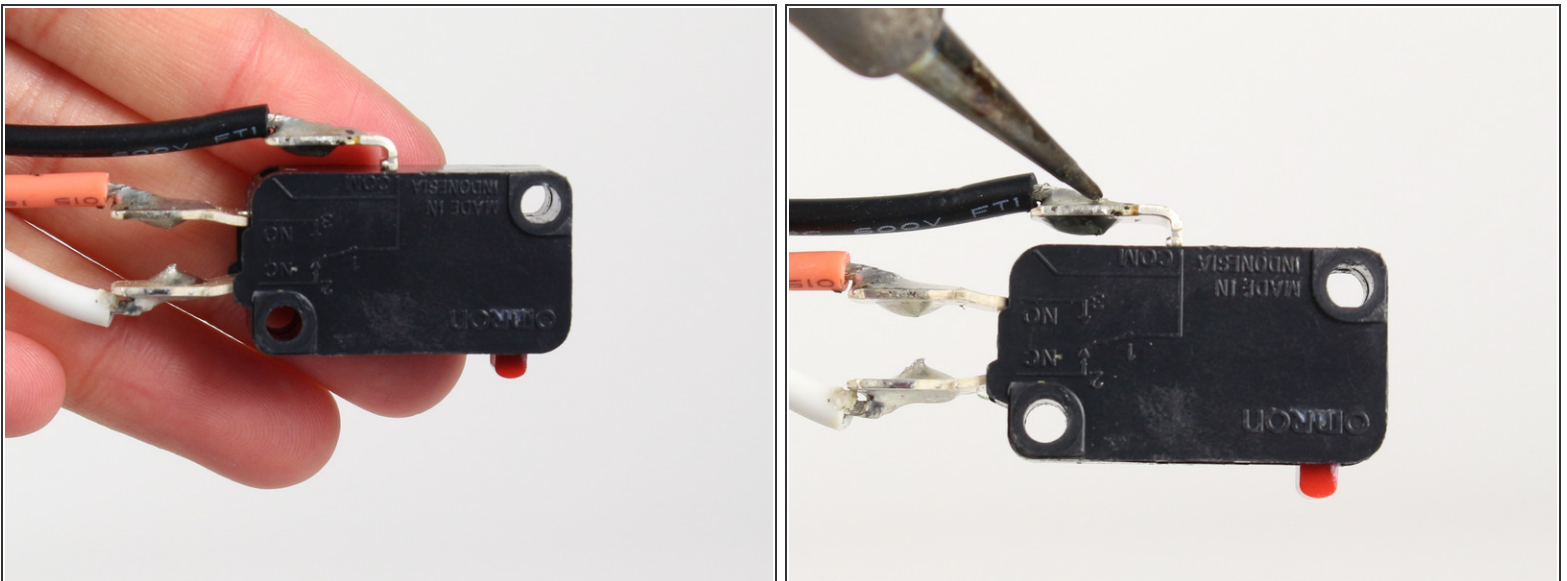
- Remove the two 5.5mm nuts with a 5.5mm nut driver.

Step 13



- Remove the two 13.0mm screws that hold the switch to the button assembly with a Phillips #2 screwdriver.
- ⓘ The screws have glue in their threads, so this step might require a little extra force.
- Slide off the switch and yellow plastic to remove the button assembly.

Step 14 — Switch



- Desolder the white, black and red connections from the switch by using a soldering iron.
- ⓘ Refer to the [soldering guide](#) for extra help.
- ✦ For reassembly, the new switch's connections will have to be soldered on.

To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order.

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